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To: All Indiana ATR Providers and Potential Providers

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RE: Provider County of Origin

Indiana Access to Recovery seeks to establish a broad network of service providers to ensure clients have sufficient choice. This goal recognizes that providers are not equally accessible to all clients in a given county, nor are all clients appropriate for a particular provider. Allowing clients to select the provider that best fits their needs will produce the highest quality of service. In the interest of meeting these goals, Indiana will recruit providers that are located both in the target counties and in adjacent counties. The target counties are Vigo, Vanderburgh, Elkhart, Lake, St. Joseph, Allen, and Marion. Due to the special nature of detoxification services and the limited service capacity, these service providers will be recruited statewide regardless of the location of the facility.

In all cases, providers whose facilities are located outside of the target counties will need to show that:

- Clients from at least one of the target counties have received services at their facility prior to their certification as an Indiana ATR provider.
- That clients from the target counties are not at a disadvantage, as regards services, to those that are from the county in which the facility is located.

In putting this policy in place, it should be remembered that all Indiana ATR clients must be continuing residents of one of the seven target counties. The target counties are Vigo, Vanderburgh, Elkhart, Lake, St. Joseph, Allen, and Marion. Providers should understand that continuing residents is defined as having lived in the county prior to treatment, or incarceration, and long term residence following the same.

If you need further clarification, please contact your county representative.

Thank you,

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